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President: Mr. Ali, *Minister of Natural Resources and Environmental Conservation, Malaysia* (Malaysia)

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The meeting was called to order at 3.15 p.m.

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters (continued)

Draft resolution entitled "Procedures for the election of the members of the Executive Board of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women" (E/2010/L.40)

1. *The draft resolution was adopted.*

Committee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods and on the Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (E/2010/9/Add.19)

2. **The President** drew attention to document E/2010/9/Add.19, which referred to an application from the Republic of Korea for full membership in the Subcommittee of Experts on the Transport of Dangerous Goods. He took it that the Council wished to endorse the Secretary-General's decision.

3. *It was so decided.*

Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters (E/2010/9/Add.20)

4. **The President** drew attention to document E/2010/9/Add.20, in which the Council was advised of the resignation of Mr. Navarrete of Spain as a member of the Committee of Experts on International Cooperation in Tax Matters. The Secretary-General had decided to appoint Ms. Martínez Rico of Spain to complete Mr. Navarrete's term of office. The relevant biographical information was contained in document E/2010/9/Add.20. He took it that the Council wished to take note of the new appointment.

5. *It was so decided.*

Issues deferred from the 2010 substantive session (E/2010/22)

6. **The President** said that he was holding consultations with the Bureau to decide on the way forward with regard to the issues that had been deferred from the 2010 substantive session. With regard to the draft decision contained in the report of the Committee on Economic, Social and Cultural

Rights on its forty-second and forty-third sessions (E/2010/22). Mr. Rastam had been appointed as facilitator of informal "informal" consultations.

The meeting rose at 3.25 p.m.